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SUBJECT: POSSIBLE KENYAN ECONOMIC SANCTIONS AGAINST UGANDA

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1. WAVE OF PUBLIC INDIGNATION OVER AMIN'S IRREDENTIST CLAIMS TO PART OF KENYA HAS BEEN ACCOMPANIED BY SUGGESTIONS OF ECONOMIC SANCTIONS KENYA MIGHT APPLY AGAINST UGANDA. TWO OF KENYA'S TRADE UNIONS (REPRESENTING SEAMEN AND DOCK WORKERS) HAVE THREATENED TO BLOCK ALL CARGO DESTINED FOR UGANDA. COAST PROVINCIAL COMMISSIONER MAHIHU (TOP GOK OFFICIAL IN MOMBASA) TOLD AMBASSADOR HE FEARED HE WOULD BE UNABLE TO PREVENT SUCH A MOVE IF UNIONS DECIDED TO GO AHEAD. SEAMEN'S UNION IS INSISTING ON WRITTEN APOLOGY FROM AMIN. LARGE NUMBER OF SPEAKERS AT
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NATIONWIDE DEMONSTRATIONS (SEPTTEL) HAVE ALSO URGED

GOK TO HALT UGANDA-BOUND COMMERCIAL TRAFFIC.

2. IN SEPARATE DEVELOPMENT, MINISTER OF FINANCE AND
PLANNING KIBAKI CANCELLED SCHEDULED MINISTERIAL MEET-
ING ON COMMUNICATIONS OF EAST AFRICAN COMMUNITY OF-
FICIALS AS PRTOEST AGAINST AMIN.
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